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FOLLOWING REPEAT GENEVA 5423 ACTION SECSTATE INFO ANKARA NEW DELHI
JULY 5.

QUOTE LIMITED OFFICIAL USE GENEVA 5423

ANKARA FOR SAMUELSON

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: SNAR UN IN TU

SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR INFORMATION FOR US MEMBER, INCB

MS BETTY GOUGH, MEMBER OF INTERNATIONAL NARCOTICS CONTROL BOARD FROM
US, HAS REQUESTED FOLLOWING INFORMATION TO ASSIST PERFORMANCE OF
HER DUTIES IN CONNECTION WITH THE BOARD.

(1.) STATISTICS ON INDIAN OPIUM AND INCISED POPPY STRAW PRODUCTION
IN 1977, PLUS ANY ANCILLARY INFORMATION AVAILABLE.

(2.) STATISTICS ON AUSTRALIAN POPPY CULTIVATION DURING LAST SEASON.
(SHE NOTED THAT AUSTRALIA DOUBLED ITS MORPHINE PRODUCTION IN 1976
AND STATED SHE WOULD LIKE TO CONFIRM WHETHER OR NOT RUMORS TO
EFFECT THAT AUSTRALIA SUFFERED POPPY CROP FAILURE LAST PRODUCTION YEA
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ARE ACCURATE).

(3.) CONCERNING TURKEY, SHE REFERRED TO TWO REPORTS FROM ANKARA,
ONE OF A SALE OF 1,500 KG TO POLAND AND ANOTHER OF A SWAP AGREEMENT
BETWEEN TURKEY AND POLAND UNDER WHICH POLAND RETURNS CODINE TO TURKEY
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SHE WOULD LIKE TO KNOW WHETHER THESE TWO DESCRIPTIONS REFER TO THE SAME TRANSACTION.

(4.) CONCERNING SEIZURES OF HEROIN OF SEA ORIGIN, MS GOUGH STATED THAT, FOLLOWING EXCEPTIONALLY LARGE RISE IN SEIZURES DURING FIRST QUARTER 1977, INTERPOL HAS REPORTED THAT SEIZURES HAVE DROPPED TO LAW LEVEL IN SECOND QUARTER. SHE INQUIRED WHETHER DEA HAS INFO THIS TOPIC.

(5.) FINALLY, MS GOUGH INQUIRED WHETHER USG HAS ANY ESTIMATE ON NUMBER OF MEO TRIBESMEN REMAINING IN LAOS. SORENSON UNQUOTE VANCE

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